

John B. Stetson University
Commencement

1947

Graduation Exercises



*Monday Morning, June Second
Ten O'clock*

*University Auditorium
DeLand, Florida*

Program

PROCESSIONAL March from "*Athalia*" *Mendelssohn*
Helen Allinger

INVOCATION The Reverend John Maguire, D. D.
Executive Secretary,
Florida Baptist Convention
Jacksonville, Florida

SOLO *The Humble Shall Be Exalted* *Roberts*
Harold M. Giffin
Alma Grantham, *Accompanist*

ADDRESS President Ellis Adams Fuller, D. D.
Southern Baptist Theological Seminary
Louisville, Kentucky

CHORUS *Gloria in Excelsis* *Mozart*
Harold M. Giffin, *Director*
Alma Grantham and Carol White, *Accompanists*

CONFERRING OF DEGREES President William Sims Allen

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF AWARDS AND HONORS

COMMENCEMENT PLEDGE OF GRADUATING CLASS

ALMA MATER

BENEDICTION Doctor Harry C. Garwood, *Dean*
John B. Stetson University
DeLand, Florida

RECESSIONAL *Triumphal March* *Buck*
Helen Allinger

Candidates for Degrees

Bachelor of Arts

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| Ferman Wesley Adell
Cassadaga, Fla. | Arlene Vinall Feasel
DeLand, Fla. |
| Carolyn Genevieve Baggett
Port St. Joe, Fla. | Jewell Rachel Garrett
Pensacola, Fla. |
| Mary Gene Bailey
Williston, Fla. | Joyce Clifford Gilliam
New Smyrna Beach, Fla. |
| Helen Elizabeth Baker
Clearwater, Fla. | Damaris Hague
Alachua, Fla. |
| Margaret Jane Ballentine
Lake Worth, Fla. | Clyde Edwin Hall
Barberville, Fla. |
| Betty Sue Barker
Chattanooga, Tenn. | Jean Elizabeth Harper
Sanford, Fla. |
| Roseland June Billings
Miami, Fla. | Virginia Berry Harris
Apopka, Fla. |
| Catherine Knapp Breyette
DeLand, Fla. | Iris June Hart
Sebring, Fla. |
| Nancy Beatrice Brown
Jacksonville, Fla. | James Hearne Harwell
DeLand, Fla. |
| Frances Anita Caldwell
Ocala, Fla. | Virginia Elizabeth Hendry
West Palm Beach, Fla. |
| Camilla Shirley Callahan
Gainesville, Fla. | Frances Burt Hobson
St. Petersburg, Fla. |
| James Robert Casey
DeLand, Florida | Emily Virginia Howes
DeLand, Fla. |
| Charles Clements, Jr.
LaFayette, Ga. | Albert Flournoy Jernigan
Pensacola, Fla. |
| Ruth Evelyn Cobb
Pensacola, Fla. | Annie Lee Johnson
Ft. Myers, Fla. |
| Hilda Rebecca Collier
Ocala, Fla. | Frances Susan Jordan
DeLand, Fla. |
| Muriel Gilkes Collura
Coronado Beach, Fla. | Mary Elizabeth Land
Jacksonville, Fla. |
| Dorothy Margaret Dickey
Bristol, Virginia | Richard Winthrop Mansur
St. Petersburg, Fla. |
| Janice Brent Douglas
High Springs, Fla. | Marjorie Merrill
DeLand, Florida |

Elizabeth Alice Mulholland Eustis, Fla.	Ralph Everett Stults DeLand, Fla.
Joan Elizabeth Nydegger Orlando, Fla.	Margaret Rachel Swartz St. Augustine, Fla.
Edna Murelene Parrish Enterprise, Fla.	Elizabeth Kent Trainham Richmond, Va.
Anna Margaret White Pease Mount Dora, Fla.	Anna Sue Walden Plant City, Fla.
Miriam Louise Ragsdale Atlanta, Ga.	Alice Frances Walker Perrine, Fla.
Daniel B. Robertson DeLand, Fla.	Sally Jane Whitcombe Hamilton, New York
James Benjamin Schubiger New Smyrna Beach, Fla.	Donald Eugene Wilkes DeLand, Fla.
Margaret Elizabeth Sharp Miami, Fla.	Loren Arteamos Williams DeLand, Florida
Elizabeth Menzies Ambrose Shaw Winter Haven, Fla.	Maxine Mears Williams DeLand, Fla.
Margaret Kathryn Riggs Stafford W. Palm Beach, Fla.	Katie Elizabeth Wilson Jacksonville, Fla.
	Victoria Alice Young Gainesville, Fla.

Bachelor of Science

Joyce Eleanor Caldwell Orlando, Fla.	Jewell Marie Mitchell Atlanta, Ga.
Ann Ardelle Cory Orlando, Fla.	Ruth Mary Moore Temuco, Chile, S. A.
Jimmie Louise Godwin Frostproof, Fla.	Kenneth Louis Purtz Sarasota, Fla.
Robert Davies Henry DeLand, Fla.	Esther Marie Rucker Miami, Fla.
Frederick Carter Keisling, Jr. Jacksonville, Fla.	Gladys Irene Scott Newton, N. J.
Nancy Luella McCollum Auburndale, Fla.	Roselyn Seckinger Auburndale, Fla.
Joan Miller Orlando, Fla.	Harry Ernest Whitsett Daytona Beach, Fla.
	Marjorie Elizabeth Williams Ft. Pierce, Fla.

Bachelor of Music

Leland H. Armstrong Ocala, Fla.	Jewel Faye McCully Ocala, Fla.
Shirley Kathryn George DeLand, Fla.	Elizabeth Futch McEmber Leesburg, Fla.
Alma Florine Grantham Sanford, Fla.	Archie Young McMillan DeLand, Fla.

Bachelor of Science

In Business Administration

George Heyward Davis Ridgefield, Conn.	Virginia Lee McKenzie New Smyrna Beach, Fla.
Sammie Lee Dawson Auburndale, Fla.	Patricia Maxcy Frostproof, Fla.
R. Lee Freeman DeLand, Fla.	Charlotte Ann Nordmann DeLand, Fla.
Joseph Lyle Gillespie S. Charleston, W. Va.	Iris Mariam Murray Jacksonville, Fla.
John Rockwood Gould Chicago, Ill.	William Roy Reese Daytona Beach, Fla.
Hugh Thomas Gower Mount Vernon, Ohio	John Carlton Shaw Simsbury, Conn.
Eugene C. Head Ft. Meade, Fla.	Vincent T. K. Stacey Jacksonville, Fla.
Edwin Earl Hughes New Smyrna Beach, Fla.	Russell Drake Stilwell King Ferry, N. Y.
Jack Clay Inman DeLand, Fla.	Alto Douglas Teal, Jr. Tulsa, Oklahoma
Joseph Whitner McCaslin Sanford, Fla.	Ruth Evelyn Trundle DeLand, Fla.
Melvene Jones McDaniel DeLand, Fla.	Glendon Edwin Wetzel St. Petersburg, Fla.
Donald Francis McEmber Ludington, Mich.	Janet Edna White DeLand, Fla.
	Charles Curtis Wilson Indianapolis, Ind.

Master of Arts

Richard M. Feasel
DeLand, Fla.

Ruth Marian Lundvall
Rockford, Ill.

M. D. Magenheim
New York, N. Y.

Memory Martin
Eustis, Fla.

Walter Howell Reed
Pine Castle, Fla.

Rhoda Studstill Williams
Russell, Fla.

Honorary Degree

Doctor of Literature

Ellis A. Fuller

Doctor of Divinity

Walter B. Feagins

Honors

Graduation Honors

Students with an asterisk before their names had an average grade between A and A plus for four years' work.

Carolyn Genevieve Baggett, *Magna Cum Laude*

*Ruth Evelyn Cobb, *Magna Cum Laude*

Muriel Gilkes Collura, *Magna Cum Laude*

Iris June Hart, *Magna Cum Laude*

*Emily Virginia Howes, *Magna Cum Laude*

Jimmie Louise Godwin, *Magna Cum Laude*

Nancy Luella McCollum, *Magna Cum Laude*

*Virginia Lee McKenzie, *Magna Cum Laude*

Iris Marian Murray, *Magna Cum Laude*

Charlotte Ann Nordmann, *Magna Cum Laude*

Margaret Elizabeth Sharp, *Magna Cum Laude*

Elizabeth Menzies Ambrose Shaw, *Magna Cum Laude*

*Alto Douglas Teal, Jr., *Magna Cum Laude*

Katie Elizabeth Wilson, *Magna Cum Laude*

Joyce Eleanor Caldwell, *Cum Laude*

James Robert Casey, *Cum Laude*

Hilda Rebecca Collier, *Cum Laude*

Alma Florine Grantham, *Cum Laude*

Donald Francis McEmber, *Cum Laude*

Elizabeth Futch McEmber, *Cum Laude*

Marjorie Merrill, *Cum Laude*

Joan Miller, *Cum Laude*

Ruth Mary Moore, *Cum Laude*

Donald Eugene Wilkes, *Cum Laude*

MEMBERS OF THE GRADUATING CLASS
ON THE DEAN'S LIST

The figure printed after each name indicates the number of semesters or quarters the student has been placed on the Dean's List.

Carolyn Genevieve Baggett	4	Donald Francis McEmber	2
Mary Gene Bailey	1	Elizabeth Futch McEmber	1
Helen Elizabeth Baker	2	Virginia Lee McKenzie	3
Margaret Jane Ballentine	3	Marjorie Merrill	5
Catherine Knapp Breyette	2	Joan Miller	1
Nancy Beatrice Brown	1	Ruth Mary Moore	3
Joyce Eleanor Caldwell	2	Elizabeth Alice Mulholland	1
James Robert Casey	5	Iris Marian Murray	3
Charles Clements, Jr.	3	Charlotte Ann Nordmann	3
Ruth Evelyn Cobb	4	Edna Murlene Parrish	1
Hilda Rebecca Collier	3	Anna Margaret White Pease	1
Muriel Gilkes Collura	6	Kenneth L. Purtz	1
Ann Ardelle Cory	1	Miriam Louise Ragsdale	1
George Davis	1	Roselyn Seckinger	2
Dorothy Margaret Dickey	1	Margaret Elizabeth Sharp	1
Janice Brent Douglas	1	Elizabeth Menzies Ambrose Shaw	6
Arlene Vinall Feasel	3	Vincent T. K. Stacey	1
R. Lee Freeman	3	Margaret K. Riggs Stafford	2
Joyce Clifford Gilliam	1	Russell Drake Stilwell	1
Jimmie Louise Godwin	4	Alto Douglas Teal, Jr.	4
Hugh Thomas Gower	1	Glendon Edwin Wetzel	1
Alma Florine Grantham	3	Sally Jane Whitcome	1
Jean Elizabeth Harper	2	Janet Edna White	2
Iris June Hart	2	Harry Ernest Whitsett	3
Robert Davies Henry	3	Donald E. Wilkes	2
Emily Virginia Howes	5	Loren Arteamos Williams	1
Fredrick Carter Keisling, Jr.	2	Katie Elizabeth Wilson	3
Nancy Luella McCollum	6	Victoria Alice Young	1

**MEMBERS OF THE GRADUATING CLASS
ON THE HONOR ROLL**

The figure printed after each name indicates the number of semesters or quarters the student has been placed on the Honor Roll.

Ferman Wesley Adell	1	Joseph Whitner McCaslin	1
Leland H. Armstrong	1	Nancy Luella McCollum	9
Carolyn Genevieve Baggett	9	Jewell Faye McCully	1
Mary Gene Bailey	2	Donald Francis McEmber	2
Helen Elizabeth Baker	7	Elizabeth Futch McEmber	7
Margaret Jane Ballentine	4	Virginia Lee McKenzie	10
Roseland June Billings	4	Archie Young McMillan	4
Catherine Knapp Breyette	2	Richard Winthrop Mansur	1
Nancy Beatrice Brown	7	Marjorie Merrill	9
Frances Anita Caldwell	4	Joan Miller	4
Joyce Eleanor Caldwell	8	Ruth Mary Moore	10
James Robert Casey	8	Elizabeth Alice Mulholland	6
Charles Clements, Jr.	8	Iris Marian Murray	7
Ruth Evelyn Cobb	9	Charlotte Ann Nordmann	8
Hilda Rebecca Collier	7	Joan Elizabeth Nydegger	2
Muriel Gilkes Collura	6	Edna Murlene Parrish	1
Ann Ardelle Cory	5	Anna Margaret White Pease	1
George Davis	1	Kenneth L. Purtz	1
Sammie Lee Dawson	3	Miriam Louise Ragsdale	2
Dorothy Margaret Dickey	3	Daniel B. Robertson	1
Janice Brent Douglas	3	James B. Schubiger	2
Arlene Vinall Feasel	5	Gladys Irene Scott	1
R. Lee Freeman	3	Roselyn Seckinger	3
Shirley Kathryn George	3	Margaret Elizabeth Sharp	6
Joyce Clifford Gilliam	2	Elizabeth Menzies Ambrose	
Jimmie Louise Godwin	9	Shaw	11
Hugh Thomas Gower	4	John Carlton Shaw	1
Alma Florine Grantham	9	Vincent T. K. Stacey	1
Damaris Hague	3	Margaret K. Riggs Stafford	2
Jean Elizabeth Harper	2	Russell Drake Stilwell	2
Virginia Berry Harris	1	Ralph Everett Stults	1
Iris June Hart	10	Alto Douglas Teal, Jr.	9
James Hearne Harwell	1	Anna Sue Walden	1
Eugene C. Head	1	Alice Frances Walker	2
Virginia Hendry	1	Glendon Edwin Wetzel	1
Robert Davies Henry	4	Sally Jane Whitcombe	5
Frances Burt Hobson	2	Janet Edna White	4
Emily Virginia Howes	10	Harry Ernest Whitsett	5
Edwin Earl Hughes	1	Donald E. Wilkes	3
Jack Clay Inman	4	Loren Arteamos Williams	2
Albert Flournoy Jernigan	2	Maxine Mears Williams	2
Annie Lee Johnson	3	Charles Curtis Wilson	1
Frances Susan Jordan	1	Katie Elizabeth Wilson	9
Frederick Carter Keisling, Jr.	2	Victoria Alice Young	8
Mary Elizabeth Land	2		

PRIZES AND AWARDS

The Delta Delta Delta Fraternity Scholarship award to the young lady of the freshman class having the highest scholastic average for the Fall and Winter quarters 1946-1947 is given to Betty Jane Adams, Oxford, Georgia.

The annual award of The Honor to the young lady of the freshman class who is the most outstanding in scholarship, leadership, and participation in campus activities is given to two young ladies, Carol Hale, Daytona Beach, Florida, and Martha Kurtz, Ft. Myers, Florida.

The Benedetti Spanish Scholarship award, consisting of a trip to Mexico during the summer months, is given to Wright Booth, Daytona Beach, Florida.

ALMA MATER

Dear Alma Mater, smile upon thy children !

Gladly we greet thee, altogether lovely ;

Peace be within thy classic halls and temples !

Hail, Alma Mater dear !

Hail to the heroes who have gone before us !

Young men and maidens, filled with true devotion !

Bright is their glory, fadeless and undying.

Hail to our heroes gone !

Hail to our classmates, bound by ties ne'er broken !

Here once again we pledge our vows of friendship ;

Brave hearts and true hearts sound aloud the chorus !

Long live our comrades dear !

Dear Alma Mater, tenderly thy children

Gather, and bring to thee gracious salutations.

Comrades, your voices lift once again in chorus !

Hail, Alma Mater dear !

COMMENCEMENT PLEDGE OF THE GRADUATING CLASS

Recognizing the responsibilities which are inseparable from the privileges of education, we the graduating class of 1946-1947, call upon our friends, our families, and our God to witness this our pledge:

We loyal sons and daughters of John B. Stetson University, pledge for all time the powers of our bodies, our minds, and our hearts toward the fulfillment of the deep and irrevocable obligations we acknowledge to our Alma Mater.

COMMENCEMENT MARSHALS

Professor Curtis M. Lowry
Professor Carl H. Johnson

COMMENCEMENT USHERS

George Aiken
John Cannon
James Fisher
Earl Forbes
Fred Geromanos
Addison Gilbert
Ira Gerry Giroir
Louis Halbert
Robert E. Jones
William Ray
Allyn Thompson
William Woods